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For: NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCING PROCESSES )  
USING MODIFIED NUCLEOTIDES OR NUCLEO- )  
TIDE ANALOGS, AND OTHER PROCESSES FOR )  
NUCLEIC ACID DETECTION AND CHROMO- )  
SOMAL CHARACTERIZATION USING SUCH )  
MODIFIED NUCLEOTIDES OR NUCLEOTIDE )  
ANALOGS (As Previously Amended) )

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**AMENDMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF CLAIM CONSOLIDATION  
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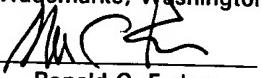
This is an Amendment For The Purpose Of Claim Consolidation, and it follows Applicants' June 13, 2001 Supplemental Amendment and their June 7, 2001 Response To The May 30, 2001 Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) For Entry Of Applicants' March 9, 2001 Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.115. It is believed that no extension request or fee is due in connection with this paper. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

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